

Welcome to the Class of 2014!

The Academic Services Staff welcomes you to the University of Washington School of Law. We look forward to meeting you during the Foundations for Legal Study program (FLS) beginning on Wednesday, September 14. The following information will allow you to register for first quarter place holder courses; ***your actual class schedule will be finalized during FLS.***

Registering for Classes

The incoming class is divided into seven groups that are carefully selected to provide a balanced mix of academic backgrounds and life experiences. Group assignments cannot be changed. Your final class schedule will depend upon the group to which you are assigned.

You will register for classes on your MyUW page (www.myuw.washington.edu) each quarter.

At this time, you must register for the below three first-year courses for the Autumn 2011 quarter. For the time being, these are “place holder” enrollments; Academic Services will move you into your final assigned sections during FLS.

<u>Course #</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Schedule Line Number (SLN)</u>
LAW A 501 A	Contracts	20604
LAW A 502 A	Civil Procedure I	15525
LAW A 504 A	Torts	15533

Registration Step-By-Step

1. To access MyUW, you must first create your UW NetID at <http://www.washington.edu/computing/uwnetid/>. Follow the instructions on how to create your account on MyUW.
2. Once you have created your UW NetID, log into MyUW.
3. The first time you use MyUW to register, you will need to enter the “Private Access Code” (PAC) printed on the Enrollment Confirmation Acknowledgement you should have received in the mail. If you have misplaced your PAC, please call the UW Registrar’s Office at 206-543-5378 to get it before you attempt to register on MyUW.
4. In the Student Personal Services section, select Registration.
5. Make any address changes necessary, and enter your selections for Insurance/Optional Charges. Then click on Return to Registration or the Registration button.
6. Enter the schedule line numbers (SLN's) for the courses you want to take.
7. If you get a green check and the message "Schedule updated," you're done. (See <http://www.washington.edu/students/reg/demo/> for helpful demo videos.)

VERY IMPORTANT

DO NOT BUY ANY TEXTBOOKS UNTIL YOU HAVE BEEN GIVEN YOUR FINAL SECTION ASSIGNMENTS DURING FLS!

First Year Class Schedule

1L Classes meet between the hours of 8:30am and 3:30pm, Monday through Friday, throughout all three quarters. **Please note that first year course scheduling information on the law school website is subject to change.** If changes need to be made, we will provide as much advance notice as we can. There are also occasionally evening activities such as moot court competitions, public service lectures, and mentor-mentee events.

Examination Schedule

All first-year students have exams on December 12, 14, and 16 (M-W-F).

Do NOT make any plans that will conflict with these exam dates.

Measles Immunization Verification

Before registration, you must complete and return the Measles Immunity Verification form you received in the mail when you paid your deposit (also available at <http://www.washington.edu/students/reg/immunization.html>). If you have questions about this form, please call Hall Health Primary Care Center at 206-616-4672.

Curriculum Track B

You have already received information about an integrated approach to the classes Torts, Contracts, Civil Procedure, Property, and Legal Analysis. **The due date for stating a preference for this track is September 5, 2011;** see <https://catalysttools.washington.edu/webq/survey/bogrady/139276>.

Professional & Faculty Mentor Programs

Seattle's diverse legal community provides UW law students with outstanding opportunities to learn about legal career options. Our Professional Mentor program pairs students with practicing judges and professionals in the Seattle area. Our Faculty Mentor program assigns a group of faculty members to each of the six small sections. The mentor programs match on common characteristics such as areas of interest, career pathways, educational or professional background. Mentors meet with mentees throughout the academic year to offer guidance and encouragement, facilitate networking opportunities and share specialized knowledge. The initial Mentor-Mentee event will be held on Wednesday, September 21, at the end of FLS. To facilitate these mentorship matches, **please complete this brief survey by Friday, August 26, 2011:** <https://catalyst.uw.edu/webq/survey/buzardac/140044>.

ID Cards

New students may pick up their Husky Card™ (student identification card) at the Student ID Card Center on the ground floor of the Odegaard Undergraduate Library, next to the By George Café. Please take a standard photo identification with you. The quarterly validation sticker is mailed about September 8. When it arrives, attach it to the Husky Card™ to make it valid for the quarter. The Husky Card™ may also be used as a bus pass (with the U-Pass sticker attached), to get special prices on computers at the University Book Store, to purchase UW football tickets, and more. Additional information about the Husky Card™ is available at: http://hfs.washington.edu/husky_card/

Tuition

Autumn 2011 tuition is due on October 14, 2011.



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Insurance

You may access insurance information at: <http://depts.washington.edu/ovpsl/insurance.html>

Email

The UW email system provides an important means of communication between students, faculty, staff and administration. **Once school begins, you should check your UW email account at least once a day.** You will be added to the Law School's "LawDawgs" email distribution list, which is used to distribute messages from the administration and student groups. **You are responsible for any information distributed to you or your class via the listserv.**

Lockers

Every incoming first-year student will be assigned a locker during FLS. Lockers are provided free of charge, but students must provide their own locks. *Lockers that have been assigned but are not in use by September 26 will be reassigned.*

Commuting and the U-Pass (Bus Pass)

Students have a variety of options for their transportation to the University. One of these is the U-Pass for the public transit systems. To find out more about the U-Pass and other commuter options, see: <http://www.washington.edu/commuterservices/>.

Academic Services

Academic Service is located on the third floor of William H. Gates Hall, in Room 361. Our office provides information about class schedules, registration, room reservations, exams, grading, academic policies, and academic records. We are here to assist you throughout your law school experience; our goal is to contribute by making your law school experience a rich and rewarding one.

If you have questions regarding registration, please contact **Law School Academic Services** at:
206-543-0453 or send an email to lawnews@u.washington.edu.

We look forward to meeting you!

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